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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kunihiko Miyazaki et al.

Application No.: 09/816,777

Filed: March 22, 2001

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
RECOVERING THE VALIDITY OF
CRYPTOGRAPHICALLY SIGNED
DIGITAL DATA

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 5490

Examiner: David Yiuk Jung

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2134

AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312(a)

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed August 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.